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# Town Officers.

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*Moderator,*

\*THOMAS W. RAND.

*Town Clerk,*

BLAKE H. RAND.

*Selectmen,*

CHARLES D. LOCKE,

GEORGE H. BROWN,

NEWELL P. MARDEN.

*Treasurer,*

FREDERICK D. PARSONS.

*Tax Collector,*

ALBERT H. DRAKE.

*Cemetery Trustees,*

CHARLES H. RAND,

GILMAN P. GOSS,

GEORGE E. LOCKE.

*School Board,*

CHAUNCEY M. WOODMAN,

DR. C. F. PATTERSON,

CHARLES S. WHIDDEN.

*Janitor Town Hall,*

GEORGE E. LOCKE.

*Supervisors,*

IRVING W. RAND,

GEORGE N. PERRY,

EDWARD S. SAWYER.

*Library Trustees,*

FRED D. PARSONS,

SYLVANUS W. FOSS,

DR. C. F. PATTERSON.

*Board of Health,*

DR. C. F. PATTERSON,

CHARLES H. LEAR,

ALFRED C. PHILBRICK.

*Police,*

C. O. PHILBRICK,

JOHN H. JENNESS,

EDWARD E. RAMSDELL.

*Auditors,*

WILLIAM C. PHILBRICK,

AUSTIN W. TREFETHEN.

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\*Died Nov. 27, 1907.



# Selectmen's Report.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1908.

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## INVOICE.

Polls, 270,	\$27,000 00
Land and buildings,	693,376 00
Horses, 292,	15,385 00
Oxen, 6,	180 00
Cows, 423,	9,826 00
Neat stock, 48,	857 00
Sheep, 14,	42 00
Carriages, 34,	2,215 00
Bank stock,	5,000 00
Money at interest,	5,025 00
Stock in trade,	2,100 00
Mills,	1,600 00
Total valuation,	<u>\$762,606 00</u>

Amount not taxed on account of veterans, \$5,529.00.

Gosport valuation,	\$21,316 00
Tax rate, \$1.53 on \$100.	
Gosport rate, .77 on \$100.	
Total amount of taxes,	\$11,505 86

## EXPENDITURES.

State tax,	\$2,085 00
County tax,	<u>3,028 34</u>
	\$5,113 34

## TOWN POOR.

C. D. Garland, groceries for Mrs. Ira Brown,	\$42 00
G. P. Goss, wood " "	5 00
C. D. Garland, groceries " "	34 00
Frank R. Sleeper, cutting and teaming wood for Mrs. Ira Brown,	7 75
G. P. Goss, wood for Mrs. Ira Brown,	6 00
Chase Home, board of James F. Brown's chil- dren,	26 00

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 \$120 75

## COUNTY POOR.

E. P. Goss, wood for Thomas Kane,	\$6 00
Blake H. Rand, groceries " "	10 02
" " " " "	3 05
A. H. Drake, meat " "	2 27
C. E. Walker & Co., coal " "	6 50
C. M. Woodman, teaming coal " "	1 00
C. E. Walker & Co., coal " "	6 50
Blake H. Rand, flour " "	6 35
C. M. Woodman, teaming coal " "	1 00

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 \$42 69

## BOARD OF HEALTH.

Dr. C. F. Patterson, services and fumigating at George A. Clough's,	\$11 00
Dr. C. F. Patterson, services as Health Officer,	13 00
" " fumigating at Parsons cottage,	7 00
A. C. Philbrick, cleansing, " "	2 00

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 \$33 00

## WINTER LABOR ON HIGHWAYS.

S. G. Smart,	\$15 26
E. P. Clark,	42 33
F. H. Rand,	12 75



G. G. White,	\$23 26
W. F. Eldredge,	22 38
A. E. Drake,	30 65
G. E. Locke,	11 25
G. P. Goss,	10 75
C. A. Goss,	44 75
W. S. Goss,	20 22
H. S. Rand,	18 90
D. J. Parsons,	22 77
C. E. Trefethen,	27 32
H. R. Sawyer,	7 20

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\$309 79

#### WASHOUTS.

H. R. Sawyer, near Farragut House,	\$14 38
E. P. Clark, near C. M. Woodman's,	7 25
Portsmouth Coal Pockets, drain pipe near C. M. Woodman's,	1 68

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\$23 31

#### SUMMER LABOR ON HIGHWAYS.

Charles E. Trefethen,	\$116 05
J. Everett Odiorne,	40 65
Albert Rand,	36 40
Fred Trefethen,	32 15
H. S. Canney,	38 15
C. W. Lang,	35 98
Everett Yeaton,	10 41
Henry P. Varrell,	16 84
G. D. Trefethen,	28 11
J. W. Seavey,	7 00
Austin W. Trefethen,	1 75
G. P. Goss,	19 88
A. C. Philbrick,	19 13
C. D. Locke,	8 50
J. C. Philbrick,	29 76

E. C. Philbrick,	\$4 38
Harry Philbrick,	14 39
G. E. Locke,	22 25
M. H. Rand,	10 50
H. N. Marden,	1 75
L. H. Foss,	23 50
Shirley P. Brown,	16 87
G. H. Brown,	17 00
J. H. Brown,	12 15
J. W. Rand,	8 50
Walter Peek,	8 50
C. A. Goss,	8 50
R. G. Shapley,	8 50
Frank Peckham,	24 65
Albert Goodwin,	12 40
Robert Rand,	11 53
Benjamin Bromfield,	18 90
George F. Pinder,	10 63
P. M. Rand,	13 45
N. S. Rand,	12 98
H. S. Rand,	4 38
O. W. Trefethen,	4 38
H. W. Salter,	4 38
George L. Clough,	1 75
E. Justin Rand,	14 42
M. V. Sleeper,	17 89
Willis Jenness,	19 08
Uri H. Jenness,	8 50
Jos. J. Jenness,	5 37
Henry Jenness,	2 63
Frank R. Sleeper,	64 13
Walter Sleeper,	4 38
J. F. Brown,	10 51
F. G. Brown, gravel,	18 80
“ “	5 25
A. E. Drake,	25 75
L. W. Marden,	6 00



E. N. Downs,	\$1 75
F. E. Marden,	13 01
F. H. Greenough,	6 00
F. E. Foss,	6 00
D. F. Libby,	3 50
T. I. Varrell,	4 37
S. F. Marden,	4 37
R. F. Varrell,	4 37
C. H. Matthews,	6 00
J. I. Rand,	3 50
F. O. Caswell,	87
Warren Caswell,	6 00
Geo. H. Caswell,	3 50
C. M. Woodman,	25 50
Andrew G. Brown,	16 25
C. P. Wendell,	18 00
Moses Crowell,	7 00
E. P. Clark,	36 62
Wm. F. Seavey,	19 23
I. W. Garland,	13 22
M. J. Garland,	13 22
W. F. Eldredge,	13 22
Anthony Perry,	10 63
A. F. Eisener,	14 33
H. Orriss,	5 45
W. S. Eldredge,	7 20
F. D. Parsons,	8 50
B. H. Rand,	8 50
D. J. Parsons,	14 50
S. A. Marden,	8 50
A. H. Drake,	8 50
E. B. Walker,	6 00
L. E. Walker,	3 50
Jesse Walker,	3 50
Blake Ramsdell,	3 50
O. S. Green,	3 50
E. E. Ramsdell,	4 00

E. H. Drake,	\$19 13
S. G. Smart,	17 01
J. D. Marston,	15 56
T. H. Berry,	17 00
C. S. Whidden,	19 75
Mrs. J. G. Jenness,	9 00
Fred J. Boss,	9 53
J. H. Jenness,	56 28
H. A. White,	42 50
Mrs. E. B. Philbrick,	29 75
R. J. Locke,	8 50
J. H. Perkins,	119 55
H. R. Sawyer,	27 70
L. W. Brown,	4 08
C. Fred Davis,	11 86
W. L. Berry,	3 50
D. P. Locke,	8 76
C. H. Johnson,	1 75
E. W. Caswell,	88
A. L. Goss,	6 00
W. S. Goss,	28 50
J. H. Foss,	6 72
W. J. Marden,	4 37
W. P. Odiorne,	1 67
J. J. Rand,	11 88
C. H. Lear,	3 00
J. W. Locke,	1 75
Horace Whidden,	1 75
Roy A. Whynott,	3 50
Wendell Whynott,	1 75
W. O. Randall,	8 12
Arthur Caswell,	2 25
G. G. White,	18 75
J. A. Brown,	7 16
C. W. Yeaton,	88
E. E. Seavey,	1 75
F. H. Rand,	23 38



C. O. Ellinwood,	\$3 50
W. H. Locke,	88
H. B. Berry,	88
S. A. Odiorne,	3 25
G. S. Walker,	2 63
F. N. Peirce,	2 63
G. W. Lang,	5 25
S. O. Caswell,	2 62
C. M. Remick,	10 62
H. D. Foss,	4 37
S. W. Foss,	6 00
George Foss,	87
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	\$1,843 47

## MISCELLANEOUS.

John Templeton, printing town accounts,	\$26 00
A. R. H. Foss, Selectmen's order book,	1 75
G. H. Brown, cash paid out,	1 55
H. P. Montgomery, rent of piano, 3 months,	10 00
E. C. Eastman, Tax Collector's book,	2 20
A. R. H. Foss, book for Treasurer,	2 00
G. H. Brown, cash spent, repairs road machine,	70
Annie M. Jenness, land damage,	2 06
Clare E. Jenness, " "	51
E. C. Eastman, books, stationery,	4 06
C. F. Patterson, M. D., returning births and deaths,	1 75
J. W. Berry, appropriation for Memorial Day,	10 00
Annie M. Ellinwood, copying inventory,	4 00
G. H. Brown, car fare and care of tramps,	1 45
H. P. Montgomery, rent of piano, 3 months,	10 00
L. H. Foss, re-setting boundary posts, Portsmouth and Rye,	1 00
A. R. H. Foss, printing dog licenses,	2 00
C. O. Philbrick, police services and care of tramps,	5 00
G. H. Brown, to Concord to settle State tax,	5 00
H. P. Montgomery, rent of piano, 3 months,	10 00

M. V. Sleeper, stone post for town bounds,	\$1 50
Town of North Hampton, watching fire in woods and one-half expense surveying town line,	5 75
A. H. Drake, discount on taxes,	520 14
Arthur G. Brewster, printing,	4 80
Thomas H. Simes, regard to Johnson estate and advice,	59 00
E. E. Ramsdell, enforcing dog law and care of tramps,	9 80
Mrs. Mary A. Locke, storing road machine,	4 00
J. H. Jenness, maintaining watering trough,	3 00
D. J. Parsons, care and driving hearse,	39 00
Selectmen, precinct bridges, jury and peram- bulating town lines,	60 00
A. G. Locke, repairing road machine,	50
C. M. Woodman, balance East school fund re- ceived from Mrs. Erven Seavey in 1906,	20 67
F. D. Parsons, postage and stationery,	50
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	\$829 69

## BROWN TAIL MOTHS.

E. W. Caswell, delivering notices,	\$5 00
A. R. H. Foss, printing notices,	3 00
E. E. Ramsdell, removing nests in highway,	8 87
A. E. Drake, " " "	22 75
E. P. Clark, " " "	9 38
C. E. Trefethen, " " "	37 50
W. S. Goss, " " "	7 50
A. F. Eisener, " " "	4 50
E. Justin Rand, " " "	1 87
L. H. Foss, " " "	1 00

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 \$101 37

## SALARIES.

C. O. Philbrick, Police,	\$10 00
E. E. Ramsdell, "	10 00



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Blake H. Rand, Town Clerk,	\$25 00
Fred D. Parsons, Treasurer,	25 00
John H. Jenness, Police,	10 00
George E. Locke, Janitor,	110 00
Selectmen,	135 00
A. H. Drake, collecting town tax,	110 00
“ “ precinct tax,	10 00
Auditors,	4 00

\$449 00

## ABATEMENTS.

Julius Frazer, on poll, 1907,	\$1 46
John Burns, “ “	1 53
Thomas Kane, “ “	1 53
Wm. A. Collins, “ “	1 53
Rolla White, “ “	1 53
Joseph W. Odiorne, “	1 53
Estate of E. B. Philbrick, error in valuation,	6 12
Andrew P. Frisbee, on poll, 1906,	1 54
Carl A. Johannerson, “ 1907,	1 53
Samuel A. Crawford, “ “	1 53

\$19 83

## TOWN HALL REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES.

Pryor & Matthews, glass,	\$0 74
John W. Locke, setting glass,	1 00
W. H. Locke, “ “	75
Fred L. Wood, stove,	15 00
C. D. Locke, cash paid for table cloth and towels,	3 00
Pryor & Matthews, padlock,	25
“ “ tea trays and glass,	3 81
Margeson Bros., couch,	8 50

\$33 05

## INTEREST.

First National Bank,	\$8 85
Emily B. Jenness,	45 00

Emery C. Jenness,	\$15 00
Mary A. Randall,	12 00
William C. Walker,	3 00
Florence A. Jenness,	9 00
Andrew G. Locke,	12 00
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	\$104 85

## NOTES PAID.

Emily B. Jenness,	\$1,000 00
Florence A. Jenness,	300 00
Andrew G. Locke,	400 00
William C. Walker,	100 00
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	\$1,800 00

## SCHOOL EXPENSES.

Paid C. M. Woodman, School Treasurer :

School appropriation,	\$3,172 50
Literary fund,	95 77
Dog tax,	163 20
Proportion of State fund,	300 00
Appropriation for Superintendent of Schools,	300 00
Appropriation for repairs,	50 00
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	\$4,081 47

## TUITION, OUT OF TOWN SCHOOLS.

Frank H. Rand, Portsmouth High School,	\$13 33
John W. Jenness, " "	13 33
Hiram Farrell, " "	13 33
E. W. Caswell, " "	13 33
F. L. Smart, " "	13 33
J. W. Berry, " "	13 33
O. S. Green, " "	26 66
T. H. Perkins, " "	13 33
A. Finlayson, " "	13 33
Mrs. Georgia Hutchings, " "	13 33
T. Gothorpe, " "	13 33



A. A. Eisener, Portsmouth High School,	\$13 33
G. S. Walker, " "	13 33
C. M. Remick, " "	13 33
C. A. Goss, " "	13 33
F. F. Boyce, " "	13 33
S. A. Odiorne, " "	13 33
A. F. Libby, " "	13 33
T. Gothorpe, " "	13 33
A. Finlayson, " "	13 33
C. M. Remick, " "	13 33
G. S. Walker, " "	13 33
A. F. Eisener, " "	13 33
J. W. Jenness, " "	13 33
Mrs. Georgia Hutchins, " "	13 33
F. L. Smart, " "	13 33
O. S. Green, " "	26 66
A. F. Libby, " "	13 33
J. W. Berry, " "	13 33
T. H. Perkins, " "	13 33
C. A. Goss, " "	13 33
S. A. Odiorne, " "	13 33
Hiram Farrell, " "	13 33
F. F. Boyce, " "	13 33

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\$479 88

SPENT ON ACCOUNT OF RICHARD M. JOHNSON.

H. W. Nickerson, services for interment,	\$4 00
C. O. Philbrick, services in regard to burial,	4 00
N. H. Beane, board,	37 50
C. W. Parshley, casket, etc.,	27 00
G. E. Locke, digging grave,	2 00

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\$74 50

## RECAPITULATION.

State and county taxes,	\$5,113 34
Town poor,	120 75
County poor,	42 69
Board of Health,	33 00
Winter labor on highways,	309 79
Washouts,	23 31
Summer labor on highways,	1,843 47
Miscellaneous,	829 69
Brown Tail Moths,	101 37
Salaries,	449 00
Abatements,	19 83
Town Hall,	33 05
Notes and interest,	1,904 85
School expenses,	4,081 47
Tuitions,	479 88
Account of Richard M. Johnson,	74 50
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	\$15,459 99
Reduction of debt,	\$2,059 69

CHARLES D. LOCKE,	} Selectmen of Rye.
GEORGE H. BROWN,	
NEWELL P. MARDEN,	

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We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correct and properly vouched.

WILLIAM C. PHILBRICK,	} Auditors.
AUSTIN W. TREFETHEN,	

# Report of Janitor of Town Hall.

FOR YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1908.

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## RECEIPTS.

Christian Society,	\$15 50
Grange,	14 50
Jr. O. U. A. M.,	17 50
Congregational Society,	11 00
Rye Dramatic Club,	10 00
Locke reunion,	1 00
Out of town party,	5 00
Every Other Tuesday Club,	1 00
Jenness Beach,	2 00
Dancing lessons,	4 50
Dances,	18 00
Received for use of piano,	46 00
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	\$146 00

## EXPENDITURES.

C. D. Garland, oil, etc.,	\$9 40
G. P. Goss, wood,	37 00
E. C. Jenness, oil,	11 50
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	\$57 90
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	\$88 10



# Treasurer's Report

For the fiscal year ending February 15, 1908.

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## RECEIPTS.

Amount in treasury, Feb. 16, 1907,	\$1,400 86
From A. H. Drake, Collector Taxes, 1906,	121 46
"        "        "        1907,	11,355 86
State, Savings Bank tax,	2,955 85
Railroad tax,	109 39
Insurance tax,	11 25
Literary fund,	95 77
Proportion of school fund,	300 00
County Treasurer,	50 43
Town Clerk, dog licenses,	168 00
Pedlers' licenses,	72 00
Treasurer, State License Commissioners,	31 55
Pool table licenses,	16 00
Estate of Richard M. Johnson,	198 22
Janitor Town Hall,	88 10
Cemetery Trustees,	75 00
First National Bank, interest on deposit,	50 00
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	\$17,099 74

## EXPENDITURES.

Paid on Selectmen's orders,	\$15,459 99
Cash on hand,	1,639 75
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	\$17,099 74

## DUE THE TOWN.

From A. H. Drake, Collector, 1906,	\$18 54
"        "        "        1907,	150 00
Cash on hand,	1,639 75
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	\$1,808 29

## DEMANDS AGAINST THE TOWN.

	Dated.	
Note to Emery C. Jenness, Feb. 15, 1902,		\$500 00
Mary E. Randall,                   “		400 00
Emily B. Jenness, Feb. 15, 1908,		500 00
Due W. Scott Smith, land damage,		35 00
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		\$1,435 00
Balance in favor of the town,		<hr/>
		\$373 29

FREDERICK D. PARSONS, Treasurer.

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We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts and have found them correctly cast and properly vouched.

WILLIAM C. PHILBRICK, }  
 AUSTIN W. TREFETHEN, } Auditors.

# Report of the Trustees of the Central Cemetery.

Your trustees will report for the year ending February 15, 1908. There is another fund added to those of our late citizens, Mr. J. D. Jenness and Mr. David Philbrick, that of Mrs. Jane A. Rand of (\$100) one hundred dollars, which is deposited in Portsmouth Savings Bank, the interest to be expended in the care of the family lots. Six lots have been sold last year, leaving 61 1-2 lots unsold.

CHARLES H. RAND, }  
 GEORGE E. LOCKE, } Trustees.  
 GILMAN P. GOSS, }

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

DR.		
Feb. 15, 1907, cash on hand,	\$39 48	
Cash from sale of lots,	150 00	
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		\$189 48
Due from Alfred Caswell,	\$5 00	
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By cash paid, paint and labor on fence,	\$13 50	
“ trees and labor on same,	42 20	
“ “ “	10 50	
“ cutting grass,	8 12	
“ lumber for well curb,	1 00	
“ recording deeds,	1 50	
“ D. J. Parsons, on account of Alfred		
Caswell,	5 00	
“ Town Treasurer,	75 00	
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		\$156 82
Cash on hand,		32 66
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		\$189 48

G. P. GOSS, Clerk and Treasurer for Trustees.

February 15, 1908.



# Report of School Board.

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TO THE SCHOOL BOARD OF RYE:

I have the pleasure of submitting to you my first annual report and the second in the series of Superintendents' reports.

Although I have been with you not quite six months, hardly time to learn your local conditions and needs, still I feel much has been accomplished, even in this short time. It is the little things that have been looked after. Little things in fact, but great in result. You must lay a good foundation if you expect your superstructure to stand. To build upon sand for a foundation is poor policy. Progressive work is being done in our schools and goods results being secured. We now have a good corps of teachers.

It is unfortunate that the work in the South school for the fall term was so broken up by changes of teachers and the whooping cough, but the school is getting into shape. The school has a hard name, but there seems no need for this. The children in this school are as well behaved as in the other schools, and there certainly has been no more trouble with discipline than elsewhere. There need be no particular trouble with discipline in any of our schools with the class of children now in them, if teachers use a little tact and common sense.

We employ a supervisor of music, and I believe we should also employ one for drawing. There seems no good reason why drawing should not form a part of our school course. Ability to draw well is an essential element of education. The chief ends to be reached in drawing are the culture of the eye in judging of form and the training of the hand in producing form correctly. The minds of the children should be trained to an appreciation and enjoyment of that which is beautiful in form and color.

The Normal Music Reader has been replaced with the New Educational Music Course, the old histories with Montgomery's revised editions. It is possible there should be one or two other changes in sets of books badly worn. Since the district can well afford to keep its book supply well equipped, it is poor policy to use dirty, worn books, or books that are not of the greatest educational value.

It seems too bad that a town in the circumstances this is, should be satisfied to get along with the strictly rural eight grade school room, when towns about us, not as large nor as well fixed financially, are semi-graded at least.

You frequently hear people harking back to the time when they went to school. The chances are very much in favor of the conditions of the two periods of time being decidedly different. Twenty-five years ago boys and girls went to school until they were twenty-one years of age. Today they are being graduated from our schools at the ages of twelve, thirteen, fourteen and fifteen years. The same amount of work is being crowded into about half the time, besides the extra work, as music, drawing, etc. The conditions and work accomplished twenty-five years ago, or even ten years, is no criterion for today. The process of education has changed and is keeping pace with the rapid strides of progress and development of everything else.

None of us are satisfied to go back to the conditions of the past, nor to take a step backward in the progress of civilization. Then why, when we are speaking of our schools, do we compare them with schools in a past period? Why not look ahead and compare them with the schools of the future?

Now, our schools have done and are doing good work, but there is a chance for better schools and better work. To secure this the town needs a grammar school. A grammar room could be easily provided for and at a small cost by putting another story on the school building at the Center. The seventh and eighth grades could be brought from all parts of the town to this central school. With this condition, you can have just as good schools as any of your neighboring towns.

Arrangements have been made with Mr. Silver, Superintendent of the Portsmouth schools, to admit scholars from the eighth grade to the High School upon my certificate. This does not mean that admission to the High School is to be any easier than formerly. Such will not be the case. It does mean that scholars who have done good, faithful work may be admitted by the Superintendent's certificate without an examination.

I have made seventy-seven visits to your schools. Thanking the people for their cordiality and the School Board for their loyalty and support, I am,

Very respectfully,

A. W. SMALL,

Superintendent of Schools.

## ROLL OF HONOR.

## EAST SCHOOL.

## Spring term.

Russell Rand.	Charles Sterling.
Alice Buckmaster.	Mary Davidson.
Elizabeth Rand.	Ruth Trefethen.

## Fall term.

Ruth M. Trefethen.

## Winter term.

Stanley Tuck.	Hilda Trefethen.
Ruth M. Trefethen.	Agnes Tuck.
Grace Tuck.	Helen Tuck.

## WEST SCHOOL.

## Spring term.

Harry Farrell.	Percy Farrell.
Irving Jenness.	Bertha Brown.
Marion Green.	Martha Simpson.
Emma L. Smart.	

## Fall term.

Forrest Jenness.	Kate Green.
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## Winter term.

Eugene Peckham.	Hester Boyce.
Kate Green.	

## SOUTH SCHOOL.

## Spring term.

Ralph Berry.	James Manuel.
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## Winter term.

James Manuel.

## CENTER SCHOOL.

## Spring term.

Wallace B. Canney.	Charles H. Caswell.
George E. Downs	Leslie J. Downs.
Edson G. Locke.	Harry E. Odiorne.
Charles W. Parsons.	Wallace Rand.
Elizabeth Goss.	Corrinne B. Parsons.
Iona Walker.	



# School Board Treasurer's Report.

For the Financial Year ending February 15, 1908.

## RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand, Feb. 15, 1907,	\$761 51
From Town Treasurer, appropriation,	3,522 50
“ “ literary fund,	95 77
“ “ dog licenses,	163 20
“ “ money held in trust for East School district,	20 67
“ “ state, appropriation for Superintendent,	300 00
North Hampton School Board,	19 00
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	\$4,882 65

## FUEL.

J. W. Rand,	\$67 92
C. M. Remick,	43 50
C. S. Whidden,	36 50
Edgar J. Rand,	55 50
G. P. Goss,	36 00
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	\$239 42

## TEACHERS' AND JANITORS' EXPENSES.

Alice D. King, teaching West school,	\$176 00
Mary E. King, “ “ “	231 00
Frances I. Hayes, “ East “	407 00
Leola C. Noble, “ South “	176 00
Tessa Liberty, “ “ “	55 00
Nina Liberty, “ “ “	15 00
Helen E. Ganiard, “ “ “	147 40
Florence L. Stevens, “ Center “	176 00

Blanche P. Williams, teaching Center School,	\$165 00
Mary A. Carruthers,       "       "       "	66 00
Lucy M. Hoyt,               "   Music   "	148 00
Janitor, East School,	21 25
"   West       "	21 25
"   South     "	20 70
"   Center    "	23 75
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	\$1,849 35

## TUITIONS.

Superintendent of Portsmouth Schools,	\$240 00
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## DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY.

C. S. Whidden, for Superintendent,	\$170 00
A. W. Small,	300 00
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	\$470 00

## BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

J. L. Hammett & Co.,	\$98 31
Charles E. Merrill,	2 46
Lothrop, Lee & Shephard,	1 85
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	67 20
American Book Company,	23 84
Ginn & Co.,	102 06
Silver, Burdette & Co.,	3 60
Gault & Spaulding,	12 00
D. C. Heath,	1 05
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	\$312 37

## MISCELLANEOUS.

John W. Locke, glass and setting same,	\$1 00
Lewis E. Walker, conveying music teacher,	11 00
John D. Randall, printing Dist. Supt's report,	30 00
Charles E. Trefethen, labor on school houses,	25 42
D. H. McIntosh, 1 arm chair,	2 75
C. F. Patterson, manikin, use of horse, etc.,	30 84
Mrs. Henry P. Varrell, cleaning,	11 60

Willard E. Paul, merchandise,	\$1 00
Walter E. Locke, masonry,	28 00
Mrs. Mitchell, cleaning,	5 00
C. D. Drake, painting, stock and labor,	21 84
Albert Johnson, " " "	42 93
Boston & Maine, freight,	1 54
American Express charges,	25
Willard A. Trefethen, painting, stock and labor,	44 04
Pryor & Matthews, merchandise,	18 69
R. J. Sisk, school supplies,	9 19
C. D. Garland, merchandise,	3 95
Allen Eisener, stock and labor on school houses,	18 00
Blake H. Rand, merchandise,	1 16
Moses Philbrick, cleaning clocks,	1 50
Charles S. Whidden, telephone, business, etc.,	5 20
E. C. Jenness, merchandise,	2 22
C. M. Woodman, freight, express and supplies,	3 05
Harry E. Hodgdon, printing,	2 40
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	\$322 57

## SALARIES.

C. M. Woodman, School Board Treasurer,	\$30 00
C. F. Patterson, " "	20 00
C. S. Whidden, " "	20 00

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\$70 00

## EXPENDITURES.

Paid by order of the School Board,	\$3,503 71
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1908,	1,378 94

CHAUNCEY M. WOODMAN, Treasurer.

We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correct and properly vouched.

WILLIAM C. PHILBRICK, }  
AUSTIN W. TREFETHEN, } Auditors.

**BIRTHS Registered in the Town of Rye, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1907.**

Date	Name of Child (if any).	Living or Still-born.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
		Male or Female.	No. of Child.				
Jan. 10		F	7	Charles W. Varrell	Annie E. Burrall	Rye	Nova Scotia.
Feb. 3		"	2	Everett H. Veaton	Grace E. Hassett	Newcastle	Nova Scotia.
Mar. 20		"	4	Horace B. Berry	Cora B. Caswell	Bay View, Ms.	Rye.
27		"	3	Christopher Hanson	Grace E. Wright	Norway	Machias, Me.
30	Amy Louise	"	1	John E. Simpson	Elenor L. Gervan	North Hampton	New Brunswick.
April 21		M	3	John W. Jenness	Florence Farrell	Rye	Nova Scotia.
23	William	"	5	Thomas Gothorpe	Elizabeth Gomersall	England	Boston, Mass.
May 11		"	5	Thomas I. Varrell	Martha E. Marvin	Rye	Boston, Mass.
11		"	6	Thomas I. Varrell	Martha E. Marvin	Rye	Boston, Mass.
4		"	1	John D. Hammond	Harriet J. Carew	Provincet'n, Ms.	P. E. I.
Sept. 24		"	5	George A. Clough	Edith Varrell	Kittery, Me.	Rye.
22	Stewart	"	7	David Gordon	Elizabeth Parker	Scotland	Nova Scotia.
Aug. 8	Evelyn	F	2	Charles D. Locke	Mabel L. Remick	Rye	Rye.
27		M	8	Frank J. Trefethen	Maggie Connelly	Rye	Ireland.
25		"	2	Joseph O. Seavey	Nellie Eldridge	Rye	Nova Scotia.
27	Charles J.	"	2	Robert D. Rawding	Fannie E. Jones	Nova Scotia	Rye.



# MARRIAGES Registered in the Town of Rye, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1907.

Date	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of groom and bride.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
June 16	Rye	J. Henry Dechene Dorothy S. Wendell	24 21	W "	N'wburyp't, Ms. Rye	John B. Duchene Philemona Massecott Charles P. Wendell Mary A. Dow	1st "	Rev. J. B. Fenwick.
July 6	Rye	Herbert Reed Imogene S. Keen	36 34	W "	Pittston, Me. Rye	George F. Reed Dorcas Wakefield Warren W. Keen Harriet E. Keen	1st "	Rev. J. B. Fenwick.
July 24	Portsmouth	Ernest A. Tucker Abbie K. Schmidt	24 27	W "	Rye Boston, Mass.	William W. Tucker Mary G. Trefethen John Schmidt Mary Schmidt	1st "	Rev. Frank H. Gardner, Portsmouth.
July 27	Rye	Neil B. Philbrick Annie R. Jenness	19 22	W "	Rockport, Mass. Rye	Edward P. Philbrick Stella J. Goss Emery C. Jenness Ellen A. Rand	1st "	Rev. Henry A. Barber.
Sept. 19	Rye	Harry A. White Gertrude C. Peek	28 23	W "	Rye Cleveland, O.	George G. White Polly W. Marden Walter S. Peek Mary B. Schiele	1st "	Rev. J. B. Fenwick.
Oct. 30	Rye	Julius W. Fraser Marcia L. Drake	25 25	W "	Rye Rye	John F. Fraser Ella M. Parsons Adams E. Drake Laura E. Marden	1st "	Rev. Henry A. Barber.
Oct. 31	Exeter	Ervin C. Philbrick Mary L. Philbrook	30 23	W "	Rye Exeter	Daniel W. Philbrick Cynthia A. Odion Harlan L. Philbrook Annie W. Jenness	1st "	Rev. George H. Driver, Exeter.

# DEATHS Registered in the Town of Rye, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1907.

Date	Name and surname of Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Male or Female.	Color.	Single, Married or Widowed.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.						
Jan. 4	Mary Caswell	61			Ireland	F	W	M	Patrick McGuire	Mary Hardiman.
Feb. 3	Julia A. Seavey	80	22		Rochester	M	"	W	Noah Holmes	Charlotte Drown.
Mar. 17	Benjamin D. Batchelder	80	6	20	No. Hampton	M	"	"	Jeremiah Batchelder	Caroline Chesley.
	Isaac D. Rand	78	2	27	Rye	"	"	S	John T. Rand	Betsey Dow.
	William L. McGregor	69	5	26	Ontario	"	"	M		
19	Clarissa D. Drake	88	11	4	Rye	F	"	W	Nathan Knowles	Sarah H. Brown.
29	Albert M. Walker	79	7	29	Rye	M	"	M	Jesse M. Walker	Jane Sleeper.
April 12	Mary E. Odiorne	85	2	12	Rye	F	"	S	Joseph Odiorne	Eliza Norton.
14	Richard M. Johnson	70				M	"	M	John Johnson.	
30	Luther Amazeen	69	4	16	Newcastle	"	"	"	Benj. Amazeen	
25	Augustus Caswell	60	11	18	Rye	"	"	"		
July 27	Edwin Regal	78	8	10	Ohio	"	"	W	John Regal.	Lydia Payne.
31	Herbert E. Foss	37	3	23	Rye	"	"	M	John O. Foss	Ursula Caswell.
Aug. 11	Gardner T. Bunker	74			Rye	"	"	S		
25	Ida M. Sawyer	60		3	Newcastle	F	"	"	Daniel J. Sawyer	Amanda S. Marden.
26	Atwood Gammon					M	"	"		Carrie E. Smith.
Sept. 11	Elvira H. Foss	85	5		Rochester	F	"	W	Noah Holmes	Charlotte Drown.
22	Rachel M. Wendell	6	4	27	Rye	"	"	S	Chas. P. Wendell	Susie Guild.
Oct. 14	Supply F. Trefethen	74	3	2	Rye	M	"	W	Joseph Trefethen	Hannah L. Berry.
30	Andrew P. Frisbee	54				"	"	S		
Nov. 5	Annie G. Philbrick	74	11	12	Nova Scotia	F	"	W	James Guinn	Isabella Logan.
27	Thomas W. Rand	74	10	20	Rye	M	"	"	Jedediah Rand	Eliza J. Yeaton.
Dec. 27	Alfred V. Seavey	71	5	6	Rye	"	"	"	Joseph Seavey	Sarah Lane.









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